

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In a navigation apparatus, voice input information comprised of a sentence or a plurality of words are divided into respective words and then one or more predetermined words are extracted from the plurality of words, and word-based POI information related to each of the predetermined words is retrieved. Next, one or more phrases each of which is constituted from two or more words contained in the predetermined words are created, and then phrase-based POI information related to each of the created phrases is retrieved. The retrieved phrase-based and word-based POI information are displayed on a display in a selectable manner, and then map information to a destination based on the selected POI information is displayed on the screen.